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## **RESPONSE**

This is a response to a final rejection enclosed in an Office Action of May 19, 2003. The following remarks and an amendment are submitted to place the application in better condition for allowance or appeal.

## **AMENDMENT**

Please delete claims 50-53 from the present application (cf. also the attachment "Amendment to specification"). Applicant reserves the right to file and prosecute a divisional patent application related to the subject matter of these claims 50-53.